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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

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The Notice to File Missing Parts states that the nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence disclosure does not comply with the requirements for such a disclosure as set forth in 37 CFR 1.821-1.825. Applicants respectfully traverse this statement and the Notice to File Missing Parts. As required by 37 CFR 1.821(e) Applicants submitted a paper copy of the sequence identification listing as well as a request to use the computer readable form from the parent application, Application Serial No. 08/921,887. A copy of that request and a copy of the postcard indicating receipt of the request by the Patent and Trademark Office are attached hereto.

As stated in Applicants' prior request, the paper copy submitted in the instant application is identical to both the paper copy and the computer readable form that were previously submitted on September 25, 1997 in Application Serial

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No. 08/921,887. Applicant therefore requests that the computer readable form filed in Application Serial No. 08/921,887 be used in the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

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The computer readable form in this application, is identical with that filed in Application Number 08/921,887 filed September 25, 1997. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.821(e), please use the last-filed computer readable form filed in that application as the computer readable form for the instant application. It is understood that the Patent and Trademark Office will make the necessary change in application number and filing date for the computer readable form that will be used for the instant application. A paper copy of the Sequence Listing was included with the originally-filed specification of the instant application.

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67 pages Specification, Claims and Abstract (copy from parent app)

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1 page Declaration and Power of Attorney (copy from parent app) Request to Use Computer Readable Form of Sequence Listing from

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